

# Iron County Register

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ONLY twenty-three days!

AND still the "Pocket States" are balloting for Senators. Tho' little, they're pugnacious.

The Illinois Legislature has passed a bill repealing the law compelling attendance in the public schools of that State. A long step on the return to freedom and individual sovereignty.

BEN DREHME, we see, is at the Capitol, engineering the passage of a proposed new dramshop law. This isn't the first time we have known Ben to sacrifice his immediate family interests to his desire for the welfare of all creation. Self-immolating Ben!

"Piedmont," said an acquaintance and resident of that town, the other day, "Piedmont owns the two stingiest men in Southeast Missouri." Without stopping to discuss that question, we don't hesitate to assert that that town also contains some of the best of the other kind of men in the State. We speak from personal knowledge and experience.

The Scott County Newboy is about to be, or has been, sued for libel by Revs. Kendall, "Arkansas Bob," and others, whom that paper has been talking about. They deny "each and every allegation" contained in the editorials referred to, and say the editor must prove his assertions or suffer the consequences. We shall note the court proceedings and give our readers the conclusions reached by them.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S Cabinet will be composed of twenty-seven statesmen, whose names it would be superfluous to insert here, since they have been published off and on, from time to time, in the daily press. The d. p. be it said in passing, made all the selections, thus relieving Mr. Cleveland of certainly one of the most grievous burdens attached to his great office. But, then, bless you! it's no burden whatever to the d. p.

PRESIDENT HARRISON last week appointed a Tennessee State's Rights Democrat to the vacant seat in the Supreme Court. The appointee was made a Federal Circuit Judge during Cleveland's administration, and is said to be fully qualified for the position to which Mr. Harrison has exalted him. It is said that the President, in compensation, will appoint Warner Miller to the vacant Circuit Judgeship, who, in turn, will make Carter Harrison, the President's brother, clerk of his court. But this may be mere newspaper talk.

A BILL to exempt from assessment and taxation such property as is mortgaged, to the amount of the mortgage, has been introduced into the legislature; but, as this would knock out about all the taxes raised upon railroads, a provision of the bill is to exempt corporations from the effect of the proposed law. This won't do, gentlemen! No law for taxation is just which is not general, and even a railroad has rights which the State are bound to respect. The legislature need not depart from the broad plane of justice to even up matters between the people and the corporations.

THERE is a well defined and rapidly growing public sentiment against further drainage of the treasury in behalf of the Columbia University and the Normals. We can assure every Representative—outside the counties directly benefited by the absorption of the money extracted from the tax-payers—that he will be blessed, not cursed, by his constituents, if he vote "No!" on every appropriation asked on behalf of these institutions. Let these schools support themselves; if they will not consent to do this, then private enterprise, not taxed to aid its competitors, will quickly supply their places.

THE Rolla School of Mines—how quickly a pap-sucker learns to be greedy!—would like to absorb the Geological Survey appropriation, and to this end considerable interested opposition to the Survey has developed at the State Capitol this winter. The Register believes that the State too frequently meddles with matters that do not, or ought not concern it, and expends its revenues on projects that should be left to private enterprise and individual exertion; but the Geological Survey is not one of them, in the stricter sense. Even if it were, there could be this pleaded in behalf of the appropriation asked for to enable it to conclude its work: it is not an ever-enduring institution, and with the completion of its work, will pass away, and be known in the expenses of the State no more. Its sphere, too, is the whole State, and its purpose of more nearly universal utility than any of the other "progressive" matters for which money is asked. Hence, the survey is well nigh completed, and to refuse the appropriation necessary to conclude its labors would be a great measure to waste the money which has already been expended. See the Geological Survey have been appropriated for, and then proceed to complete the work for which it was created!

## The University Appropriation.

I am one of many who agree with the editor of the REGISTER, in being opposed—tooth and toe-nail—to further appropriations of the people's money—by yet unknown thousands of dollars—to the State University.

It seems to me, that of all the "cheeky" things that have lately been perpetrated, the most contemptibly selfish, is the act of Prof. Jesse and his auxiliaries, of the State University, in asking for an appropriation of \$300,000 this year, after the exceedingly liberal appropriation they received last year.

This is strong language, but it is fully warranted by the facts in the case, especially so, when we consider that one of the expedients proposed for increasing the available funds of the State is that of reducing the appropriations for the public schools, from one-third to one-fourth of the public revenue. It seems that the University officials are as willing to fatten at the expense of the public schools as they were last year. The rebate of taxes paid by the U. S. Government last year to the State of Missouri, belonged, in all justice, to her tax-payers, out of whose pockets said taxes were extracted; and it should by all means have been placed where it would have benefited most of them—to the credit of the public school fund.

If the University people are not careful they will—as has been done by other interests—"kill the goose that lays the golden egg." For it is absolutely true, in financial as well as other affairs, that "one extreme will follow the other." I, for one, doubt not that many of those who favored the enormous appropriation to the University, at the last session of the Legislature, were greatly influenced by the anticipation of the feast prepared for them by the citizens and school officials of Columbia. Perhaps the same trap, baited by the same or a similar inducement, will again catch an excessive appropriation.

If the present Legislature is as prodigal in the expenditure of State funds as the last one was, it is to be hoped that those who favor such prodigality by their votes, will have abundant reason to repent having done so.

The members of the Legislature claim to be "the servants of the people;" as such they are bound by their oaths, to do their utmost to advance the best interests of their constituents—to labor unremittingly for "the greatest good for the greatest number."

I trust that our Representative will agreeably surprise the tax-payers of his county by opposing extravagant expenditure of the public funds for any cause.

R. ERSCHLOE.  
Goodwater, Mo., February 1st, 1893.

## The Official Majorities.

The official vote for President is an interesting study, as it presents novel features entirely unknown in all past contests. As between Harrison and Cleveland the majorities give a misleading conception of the popular vote, as Cleveland received no votes in Colorado, Idaho, Kansas and North Dakota, and in these States Harrison's majority over Cleveland is just the vote polled for him. The following are the majorities in the several States on the distinct Cleveland and Harrison vote:

CLEVELAND.	MAJ. STATES.	HARRISON.	MAJ. STATES.
Alabama.....	28,941	Colorado.....	36,630
Arkansas.....	40,989	Idaho.....	3,597
California.....	147,176	Iowa.....	25,498
Connecticut.....	5,363	Kansas.....	157,341
Delaware.....	504	Maine.....	14,834
Florida.....	20,121	Massachusetts.....	26,068
Georgia.....	81,081	Michigan.....	29,413
Illinois.....	26,968	Minnesota.....	21,903
Indiana.....	7,128	Montana.....	1,270
Kentucky.....	40,020	Nebraska.....	62,384
Louisiana.....	61,488	Nevada.....	2,097
Maryland.....	21,180	N. Hampshire.....	3,577
Mississippi.....	28,831	North Dakota.....	17,619
Missouri.....	41,480	Ohio.....	1,072
New Jersey.....	14,935	Oregon.....	20,759
New York.....	45,449	Pennsylvania.....	29,747
North Carolina.....	32,533	Rhode Island.....	2,639
South Carolina.....	41,314	South Dakota.....	25,807
Tennessee.....	38,745	Vermont.....	1,637
Texas.....	161,675	Washington.....	6,616
Virginia.....	50,721	Wyoming.....	8,454
West Virginia.....	4,174		
Wisconsin.....	6,486		
Total.....	918,145	Total.....	548,612

"Cleveland received no votes in these States. The bulk of Democratic vote in these States cast for Weaver. Michigan's vote was divided by Districts.

The States carried by Weaver are all in the Harrison column of majorities, as follows:

Color.	Vote.	Color.	Vote.
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Colorado.....	4	Nevada.....	3
Idaho.....	3	North Dakota.....	1
Kansas.....	10	Oregon.....	1

In Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, North Dakota and Wyoming, the whole Democratic vote was cast for the Weaver Electoral ticket, so that Harrison's majorities over Cleveland in those States is the full vote he received. In Nebraska, Nevada, Oregon and South Dakota the larger portion of the Democratic vote was cast for the Weaver ticket. In Louisiana, Mississippi and Nevada the most of the Republican votes were cast for a fusion Weaver ticket, and in Florida all the Republican votes polled were given to such a ticket. Harrison's largest majorities came chiefly from Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, North Dakota and Nevada, all of which gave Electoral votes to Weaver, and only one of the divided vote of North Dakota to Harrison.

Cleveland carried 23 of the 44 States by an aggregate majority of 918,145 over Harrison. Harrison carried the Electoral votes of 14 States entire; and received one vote in California and North Dakota and three of the four in Oregon. His popular majority over Cleveland in all the States which voted

for Harrison and Weaver is 548,612, making Cleveland's popular majority on the face of the returns over Harrison 369,533; but had Cleveland received the full Cleveland vote cast in the Western States and Harrison the full Republican vote cast in the South, Cleveland's majority over Harrison would be about 550,000.—Philadelphia Times.

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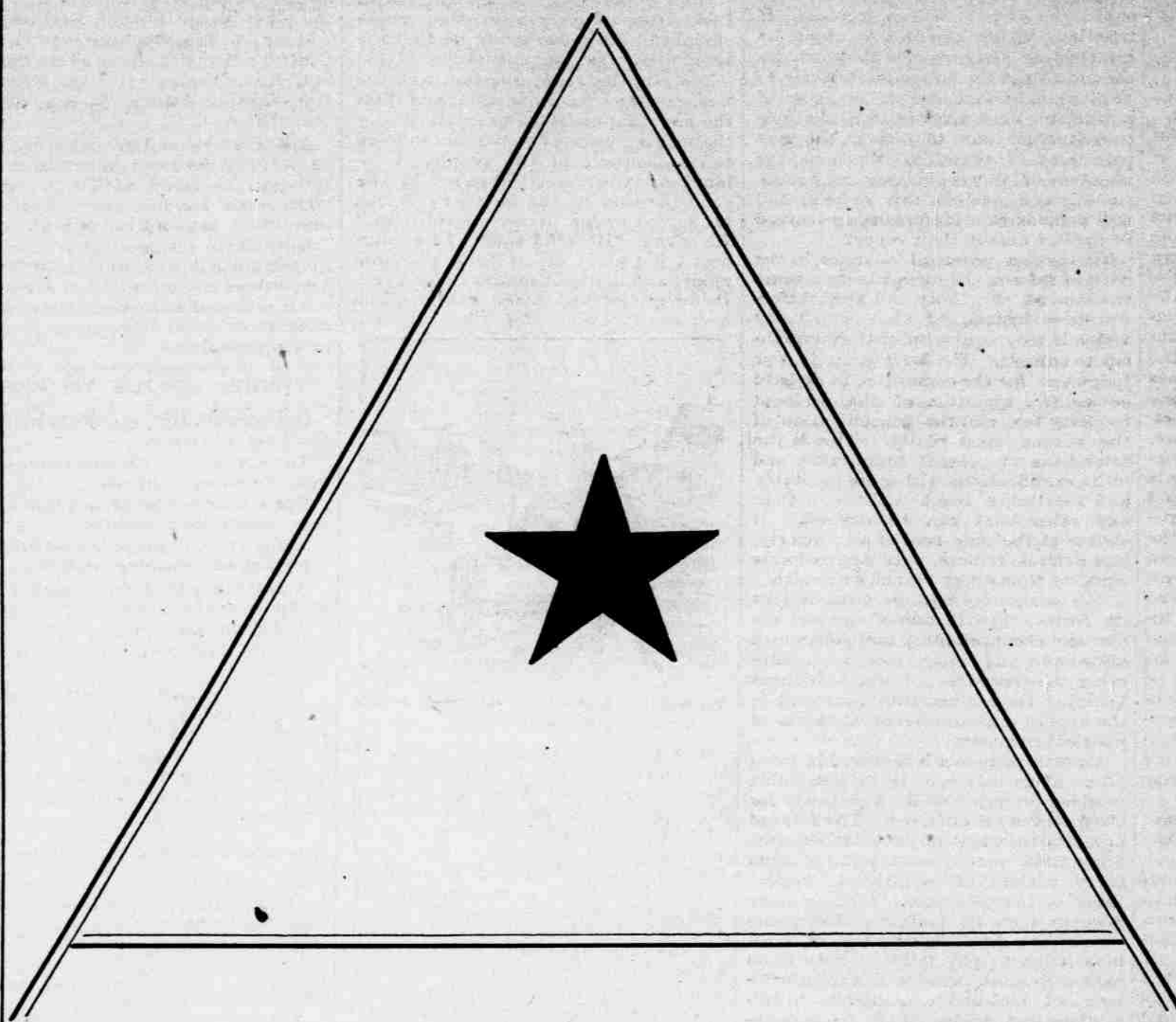
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pooned before J. B. Hampton, a Justice  
of the Peace in Union Township, of  
Iron county, Missouri, on the 2d day of  
January, 1893, the following described  
property: a certain yellow (horse)  
pony, supposed to be five or six years  
old, with white spot in the forehead,  
branded on the left thigh and appraised  
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JOHN RUBLE, } Appraisers.  
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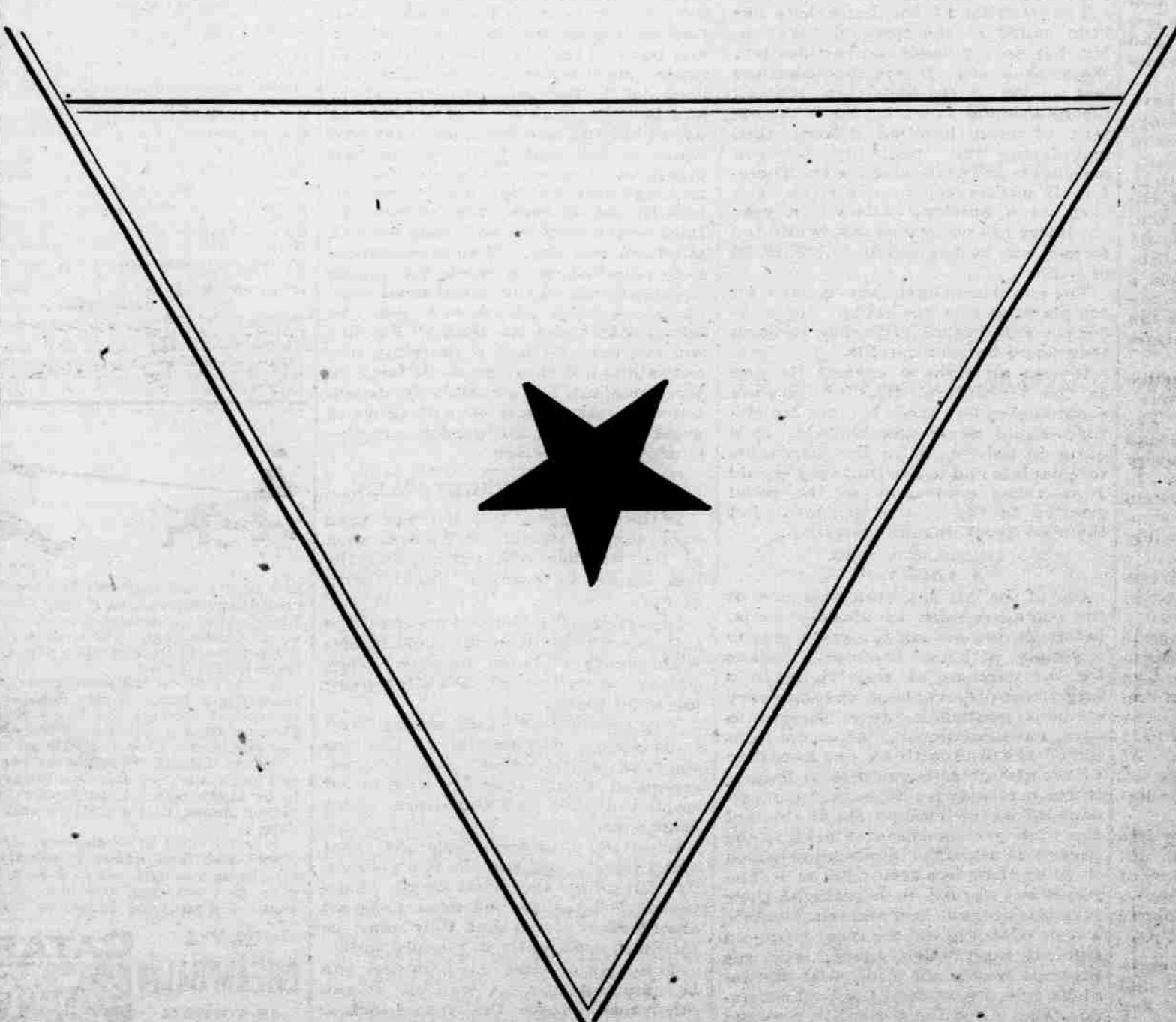
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## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court of Iron county, Mo., in  
Vacation—Jan'y 31st, 1893.  
George L. Maple  
Plaintiff  
Versus  
Martha Maple.  
[Action for divorce.]

Now at this day comes the Plaintiff, by at-  
torney and file his petition and duly verified  
by affidavit, setting forth among other  
things, that the defendant, Martha Maple, is a  
non-resident of the State of Missouri, and  
cannot be summoned in this action by the  
ordinary process of law.  
It is, therefore, ordered by the Clerk of the  
Circuit Court of Iron county, Missouri, in  
vacation, that publication be made, notifi-  
fying said defendant that an action has been  
commenced against her in the Circuit Court  
of said county, the object and general nature  
of which is to obtain a divorce from the  
bonds of matrimony between said plaintiff  
and defendant, upon the grounds of desertion.  
And unless she be and appear at the  
next term of said court, to be holden for  
said county of Iron, and State of Missouri,  
at the courthouse in said county, on the  
fourth Monday in June next, (1893), and  
on or before the third day thereof, (if the  
term shall so long continue; and, if not, then  
before the end of the term), and plead to said  
plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken  
against her as confessed, and judgment  
rendered according to the prayer thereof.  
It is further ordered that a copy hereof be  
published according to law in the "Iron  
County Register," a weekly newspaper pub-  
lished in said County of Iron, State of Missouri.  
A true copy: J. B. HUFF, Clerk.  
Attest, with seal, this 31st day of Jan'y,  
A. D. 1893. J. B. HUFF, Clerk.  
Iron County Circuit Court, Mo.  
J. B. Walker, attorney for plaintiff.

## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.  
County of Iron,  
In the Probate court for the county of Iron,  
November Term, 1892.

Now on this day comes Simon G. Shular,  
administrator of the estate of Mary Sinclair,  
late of said county, deceased, and presents  
to the court his petition praying for an order  
for the sale of certain real estate of which  
said Mary Sinclair, died, seized, decreed as  
follows:  
North part of the northeast quarter of the  
southwest quarter of section 2, township 22,  
range 4 east, in the county of Iron, State of  
Missouri, to pay the debts of said Estate;  
which said petition was accompanied by the  
accounts, lists and inventories as required by  
law, showing that said estate is indebted, and  
that said debts are unpaid, and there is not  
sufficient assets on hand to pay the same.  
On examination thereof, it is ordered by  
the court, that all persons interested in the  
estate of said deceased, be notified that ap-  
plication as aforesaid, has been made, and  
that unless the contrary be shown on or be-  
fore the first day of the next term of this  
court, to be held on the first Monday of  
February, next, an order will be made for  
the sale of the real estate in and to which said  
petition refers, or so much thereof as shall be  
sufficient for the payment of said debts, and the  
expenses of said debts, and the expenses of  
such sale. And it is further ordered that  
this notice be published in some newspaper  
published in said county of Iron, for four  
weeks prior to the next term of this court.  
A true copy.  
Attest:  
FRANK DINGEL,  
Judge of Probate and Ex-Officio Clerk.

## Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and  
others interested in the estate of Jeff  
Russell deceased, that the undersigned  
Executor intends to make final settle-  
ment thereof at the next term of the  
Probate Court of Iron county, to be held  
in the court house in Ironton, Iron county,  
Mo., on the first Monday in May next  
—same being the 1st day of May A. D. 1893.  
F. Russell, Executor.

## Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Tes-  
tamentary upon the estate of Robert  
Huff, late of Iron county, deceased, have  
been granted to the undersigned, J. T.  
Ake, by the Probate Court of Iron county,  
of Iron, bearing date the 7th day of Feb-  
ruary, 1893.  
All persons having claims against said estate are  
required to exhibit them to me for allowance with-  
in one year after the date of said letters, or they  
may be precluded from any benefit of such estate;  
and if such claims be not exhibited within two  
years from the time of the publication of this notice,  
they will be forever barred.  
J. T. AKE, Public Adm'r.

## Notice to Bond-Holders.

IRONTON, Mo., Nov. 19th, 1892.  
The holder of Bond No. 9, for \$100,  
bearing interest at six per cent per  
annum, issued in 1886, by Star of the  
West Lodge, No. 138, A. F. & A. M.,  
will present the same to the undersigned  
for payment on or before February  
1st, 1893. After that date, interest on  
same will cease to be paid.  
W. T. GAY, Treasurer.

By order of the Lodge.